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## KTFMC

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## Next Membership Meeting:

July 29th, 2015 @ Copper Roux

**KENNY RICE**

*NBC Sports*

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### *Horse Racing and Boxing Play-by-Play Announcer*

Kenny Rice serves as a play-by-play announcer for NBC Sports Group's coverage of thoroughbred racing and boxing.

Rice has contributed to NBC Sports' thoroughbred racing coverage since 2000, including the Kentucky Derby and Preakness Stakes. Rice joined NBC and NBC Sports Network's coverage of boxing in 2012 when he was assigned to be the play-by-play announcer for the networks "Fight Night" series.

Rice has also worked on a variety of horse racing shows on ESPN, including hosting "2Day at the Races," and served as both host and reporter for their "Racing to the Breeders' Cup" and "Road to the Triple Crown" series.

Rice has been honored with several citations for excellence in his career. In 1988 he was named Kentucky Broadcaster of the Year by the State Horsemen Association. In 1996 Rice was presented with the Englehard Award by the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association for lifetime achievement in reporting on Thoroughbred racing and breeding.

In 1996, Rice won an Eclipse Award for outstanding local TV coverage of thoroughbred racing. From 1980-99 Rice was the sports director at WTVQ-TV in

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- RSVP's must be in by 5 p.m. July 26th, 2015.
  - No RSVP's will be taken after the deadline.
  - Walk-in seating very limited.
  - **Registration begins at 6:15 P.M.** at Copper Roux (located at 861 South Broadway, Lexington, KY 40504 - look for map on RSVP confirmation email.)
  - Dinner begins at 7:00 P.M.
  - Cash, Check and Credit Card payments accepted at the door.
  - Please list names of all attendees when making reservations.
  - Do NOT RSVP by sending an email to [info@ktfmc.org](mailto:info@ktfmc.org), please follow the appropriate link at <http://ktfmc.org/meeting-information/> to guarantee your RSVP will be received.

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## 2015 OFFICERS

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AMY PARKER

Treasurer

BRYAN CASSILL

Sergeant-At-Arms

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KTFMC Sporting Clays is  
August 26<sup>th</sup>!

Don't miss out on the fun!

Click here to Register today!

(or go to <https://ktfmc.org/sporting-clays-classic/>)

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## MAY MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

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May 13, 2015

The meeting was called to order by President Randy Gilbert.

The treasurer's report was given by Bryan Cassill. Directory income is up over \$21,000 over last year. A transfer of ~\$65,000 was recently made into the club's savings account. Overall, all collections are up. Bryan also thanked Shawnee and Claiborne Farms for recent donations to the Colostrum Bank.

Kimberly Ramsey discussed changes to the club's website. These changes are on-going, but will offer any new and exciting options to members. Details will be made available in future emails.

The night's featured speaker was Dr. Dionne Benson, Chief Operating Officer of the Racing Medication and Testing Consortium. One of the primary roles of the RMTTC is to fund drug research and make rule recommendations to the ARCI, the governing body for horse racing in North America.

In the past two years the RMTTC has focused on their National Uniform Medication Program, This 4 part program includes: 1) a controlled therapeutic substance list, 2) third-party furosemide (Lasix) administration regulations, 3) a multiple violations program, and 4) laboratory accreditation program.

This program has helped determine nationally accepted, uniform medication rules regarding administration, withdrawal/thresholds, and violation penalties for raceday medications instead of the guidelines being different from state to state. Additionally, the laboratory accreditation program provides an external quality assurance program to make sure testing procedures are uniform and accurate from state to state. While not all states have adopted the uniform medication program, more states are adoption the program each year. The laboratory accreditation program has proven to be most challenging.

The RMTTC also conducts research in an attempt to find the "next super horse-power" medication and to find new medication that have therapeutic value. They work with the laboratories to find ways to test for these unknown medications. The ultimate goal of the RMTTC is the health and well-being of the race horse and maintaining the integrity of the sport.

In June, the club's picnic will be held in conjunction with the Annual Don Snellings KTFMC Trail Ride on Sunday, June 7 at the Life Adventure Center in Versailles. The next membership meeting will be in July.

Respectfully submitted,

Amy Parker  
KTFMC Secretary

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## NEW MEMBERS

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## WEBSITE UPDATE

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The new website is coming along and we are hoping to launch very soon. The last step is getting all of our members information loaded into the database (which is having to be done by hand). We will also be launching an App for Android, Apple and Kindle at the same time! Through the New Members Area of the website and on the app, members will be able to RSVP for meetings, update their information, access the membership directory and the farm directory. You will also have the capabilities of adding your own events to our calendar and classified ads.

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## KEMI ALUM NEW MEMBER

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**BARNHART, BRYAN**  
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New Haven, KY 40051  
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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### JULY

- 25th - Hats Off Day
- 29th - Membership Meeting - Kenny Rice

### AUGUST

- 10th - 11th - FT Saratoga Yearling Sale
- 16th - FT NY Preferred Yearlings
- 24th - FT TX Summer Yearlings
- 26th - KTFMC Sporting Clays

### SEPTEMBER

- 7th - Labor Day

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## THINGS TO KNOW

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### 2015 SPORTING CLAYS CLASSIC AUGUST 26TH AT THE BLUEGRASS SPORTSMEN'S LEAGUE

#### **GOLD SPONSOR \$1250**

- *INDIVIDUAL NAME AT STAND & CLUB HOUSE (ADVERTISING)*
  - 1 FREE TEAM - 3 PERSONS
  - FREE SHELLS, CART, LUNCH AND BEVERAGES
  - FREE COMPANY RECOGNITION IN DIRECTORY
  - LOTS OF GIFTS AND PRIZES
- *SPECIAL DRAWING FOR CORPORATE SPONSORS*
  - WEBSITE ADVERTISING FOR 3 MONTHS

#### **SILVER SPONSOR \$750**

- *ADVERTISING AT THE COURSE & STAND*
  - 1 FREE TEAM - 3 PERSONS
- *FREE SHELLS, CART, LUNCH AND BEVERAGES*

#### **THREE-MEMBER TEAM \$500**

- *FREE SHELLS, CART, LUNCH AND BEVERAGES*  
*CLINIC CHALLENGE TEAM \$500*
- *FREE SHELLS, CART, LUNCH AND BEVERAGES*
  - 3 PERSON TEAM AND T-SHIRTS

#### **STAND SPONSOR \$250**

- *ADVERTISING AT THE COURSE & STAND*



Saturday July 25th  
4:00 PM

**THEY STILL NEED HATS!!!**  
**Please drop off any hats ASAP!**